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Stockings—Black, White and  
Brown.....39c to 59c



#### SECOND WEEK OF SERVICES

In Special Evangelistic Effort at Hedding Methodist Church.

With last evening's service began the second week of special evangelistic meetings at the Hedding Methodist church, Rev. B. G. Lipsky, the pastor, and the people of the church co-operating.

There was a goodly attendance last night, and the speaker took for a text a passage found in Rom. 1:16: "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation." The speaker declared that at the time of Paul, the apostle, the Gentile world was full of corruption and immorality, and that his messages were received with persecution, stonings and beatings. Yet this was a test of his religion, and by his own experience he was proving the strength of his assertions—proving that his religion was not merely a theory, but a fact and a power in his life. Paul had formerly been a persecutor himself, but the gospel of Christ had laid hold upon him. Rev. Mr. Lipsky said that people many times violate their own conscience, and that too often in our life good has gone down before the bad, even as in Paul's case before his conversion. After Paul had accepted Christ, he was able to stand his persecutions. The

speaker declared that the gospel brings triumph in the heart, and that the joy in the heart is its triumph. He said that Paul knew this joy, and that we, like Paul, can be possessed of it, if we will. He told an incident of the Barbary Coast, illustrative of the power of God, and said that this power can break the habits of years and give new aspirations and desires; it can change a life of temper, morbidness, sadness, defeat and sinfulness, to a life of victory with Christ.

The meetings are to continue every evening this week at 7:30 o'clock. All who may be interested are given a cordial invitation to the services.

#### GRANITEVILLE

Gilbert's hall, Tuesday night, great Metro production, featuring Olive Pell in "To Hell with the Kaiser," also Lawrence Grant as the Kaiser; eight reels. One show only, at 7 o'clock. Admission, 15c and 20c.—adv.

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### BARRE DAILY TIMES

MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1919.

#### The Weather.

Generally fair to light and Tuesday; warmer, gentle, variable winds.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Read Shea's adv., page 5.—adv.  
Hear Leone Reynolds sing at Burns concert.—adv.

Jerry Dugan of Northfield was a business visitor in this city to-day.

Alice Walker will be one of the popular singers at the Burns concert.—adv.

Thirty-five cent yard-wide "Constitution" cloth, unbleached, today at Fitts for 25c yard.

Miss Harriet Moran of Goddard seminary spent the week end at her home in Washington.

Miss Mary Beltrami left to-day for Richmond, where she will act as nurse for a sick friend.

Charles Greig left this morning for Quincy, Mass., to visit for a few days with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nielson of South Barre left Saturday for Montreal, where the latter will receive medical treatment.

Miss Florence Martin, who is teaching the winter term of school in Worcester, was the guest of relatives here over Sunday.

Call and get prices on Andes ranges and heaters. Good line of second-hand ranges and heaters, stovepipe and elbows. E. A. Prindle.

Harry Broggi of Hartland and Edward Broggi of Worcester, Mass., visited their father, Joseph Broggi of North Main street Saturday.

Robert Warwick and Elaine Hammerstein in "The Accidental Honeymoon," and William S. Hart in "The Test of Courage," Bijou to-day.—adv.

Paul Monti and family, who have made their home in New Britain, Conn., for the past year, returned to Barre Saturday and expect to reside here.

The annual celebration of the Burns club will be held in the Northern hall Saturday, Jan. 25. All members are requested to attend. Per order president.

Charles Greig of Ayers street left to-day for Quincy, Mass., where he expects to be employed by the Bethlehem Steel company at the Fore-River ship yards.

D. A. Perry of the D. A. Perry Real Estate agency was in East Montpelier to-day conducting an auction sale for F. M. Sabin, the owner of the Sherburne farm.

A still alarm about 2:30 Saturday afternoon called the members of the fire department to a chimney fire at the home of Joseph Comolli on Camp street. The blaze was quickly extinguished and no damage resulted.

C. Aja, a local meat dealer, killed and dressed at the Slocum farm in Berlin Saturday a white Holstein bull which weighed after dressing 1200 pounds. This is considered an unusually heavy beef. It was brought to this city for market.

Tracy Badger of Hyde Park returned to his home to-day, having been a guest of Guy Blakey of Mount street for several days. He was recently discharged from the U. S. army and has obtained employment in a hardware store in Hyde Park.

John Tassie of South Main street received a dispatch this morning telling of the death of his father, Robert Tassie, of North Hero. The deceased was 76 years of age and besides the son above mentioned, he leaves a son, James, of this city, and a nephew, James, also of Barre. Further details are lacking.

James T. Marston of the firm of Marston & O'Leary returned Saturday night from New York City, where he was transacting business during the past week. Cyril Marston, his son, left this morning for Holy Cross college at Worcester, Mass., to renew his studies, which were abandoned to join the U. S. navy.

The Barre's Woman's club urges all those interested to hear Harold W. Slocum in Howland hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. His talk will be illustrated with stereopticon slides and everyone should learn all they can in regard to the prevention of tuberculosis for the sake of themselves and their families. Mothers especially invited. Admission free.

William Bissette of Essex Junction was before court this morning on a charge of intoxication. It being his first offense he was let off with a fine of \$5, with costs of \$10, and \$8. James Crowley of Rochester was also present and it was his second time. He was fined \$15, with costs of \$25. Abner P. Perkins of Newbury was before court Saturday night upon the same charge and was allowed his freedom after paying a fine of \$5 with costs of \$7.55, as it was his first appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barclay have returned from a brief trip to Quincy, Mass., where Mr. Barclay, upon special invitation, addressed the Quincy Granite Manufacturers' association Friday evening on a simple method of finding overhead costs upon granite work. The meeting was a very large and enthusiastic one—exceeding the seating capacity of the room—with delegations present from Milford, Concord, and Westley. Mr. Barclay had the pleasure of meeting several of the former employees of Barclay Bros., who are now in business in Quincy, also a few of his father's old friends. While in Quincy, Mr. and Mrs. Barclay were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Spargo.

Mrs. Odell of Beckley hill will entertain the mothers' club Thursday forenoon, Jan. 30. It is hoped that every member will be present, as it has been a long time since the club has had the privilege of meeting with Mrs. Odell. A very pleasant day was spent at the last meeting with Mrs. Will Davis. Nine members were present and one new member joined the club. No program was prepared and sewing was in order. Mrs. Baldwin prepared and read a short history of the club and its work from its organization to the present time. This was enthusiastically received and each member thought the club had been worth while. The following officers were elected to serve the next six months: President, Sofia Neilson; vice-president, Merta Cummings; secretary and treasurer, Sarah Baldwin; literary committee and reporter, Alice Batchelder; amusement committee, Cora Perry, Olive Rublee, Gertrude Maxfield.

Grace Barclay will sing at Burns concert.—adv.

#### Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to our neighbors and friends who were so kind to us in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Samuel Carswell and family.

Stated convocation of Granite chapter, No. 26, R. A. M., Tuesday, Jan. 21, at 7 p. m. Per order E. H. P.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Don't fail to hear Mrs. Holden sing at Burns concert.—adv.

G. Inversini, who is employed in New Britain, Conn., is visiting relatives and friends in this city for a few days.

Joseph Pacetti left Saturday night for Detroit, Mich., where he has obtained employment in an automobile factory.

Miss Mary Hale of Hale street left last night for Leominster, Mass., having been called there by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. P. S. Duffy, formerly of Barre.

William Daniels began work this morning at Petrie's restaurant on Depot square as waiter. He recently returned from the Boston shipyards, where he was employed for several months.

Clarence Hall, who for the past four years has been a clerk in the clothing department of Rogers' store, leaves to-day for North Adams, Mass., where he will be employed by Codannanah, wholesale clothiers.

Mrs. Alexander Hanton left to-day for Springfield, Mass., to visit her sister until the latter part of the week, after which she will journey to Pittsburgh, Pa., to join her husband, who is superintendent of the Allegheny cemetery in that city.

#### MONTPELIER

As far as the records of the adjutant general's office show now, Henry C. Putnam of Roxbury was the first Vermont man to give his life in the service in the present war, having died from wounds received in action. He sailed from Boston May 6, 1915, and enlisted on arrival in England and was assigned to the 36th Gloucester battalion almost two years before the United States entered the war. He was wounded and died from his wounds Sept. 28, 1918. His wounds were received in the battle of the Somme. If there is any other man in the state to whom the honor of having first given the supreme sacrifice belongs, the adjutant general would like the data concerning the young man.

N. W. Wyman, representative from Athens, has gone to Heaton hospital for care and treatment, with indications of developing influenza.

Edward S. Meigs is ill with grip. He has been feeling poorly for a few days and a physician was called Sunday evening.

The Montpelier high school basketball team defeated the Waterbury high school team Thursday evening here.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott died Sunday morning of pneumonia, with which it was ill a few days. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon.

The divorce case of Carrie Kelley vs. J. L. Kelley, with William Wishart of Barre attorney for petitioner, has been filed in Washington county court.

In probate court Carolina Capra of Barre has been appointed guardian of Teresa Albano, a minor, living in that city.

W. N. Theriault left this morning for the day in Waterbury.

G. L. Hunt left this afternoon for Rutland, where the hearing relative to the disbarment proceedings against Ernest O'Brien, an attorney in that city, will be commenced Tuesday morning. The other members of the committee, which the supreme court named to investigate the charges, are Roger W. Hubbard of Hyde Park and W. H. Fairchild of Fairfield. The hearing will probably take several days. The state will be represented by H. G. Barber, attorney general, while Mr. O'Brien is represented by M. G. Leary of Burlington and J. Ward Carver of Barre. The charges are that O'Brien committed perjury in his testimony in a recent case in Rutland county court and that he entered into a conspiracy with one Eastman in connection with a case in which both were interested.

Miss Florence Teachout, who has been ill with influenza, resumed her work to-day as telephone operator at the State house.

S. B. Bates, state highway commissioner, who has been ill with grip, is able to be out again and is expected back in his office the latter part of the week.

The report from the condition of Mrs. E. V. Johnson, wife of Representative Johnson of Somerset, this morning was very discouraging. In fact, the physicians held out little encouragement to Mr. Johnson, who was called to the hospital during the night.

Harvey E. Goodell, secretary of civil and military affairs, is gaining nicely and will be back on duty in a day or two.

With the campaigning that has been in progress for the last week over the election of a judge to succeed E. L. Waterman, there is to be an election of the adjutant general appears to have slipped out of the minds of those about the State House. At present, as far as is known, there is only one candidate for the office and that is Colonel Herbert T. Johnson, who has been in charge of the military affairs of the state most of the time since the United States entered the war and who did not, until the latter part of the week, consent to the pressure of his friends, state officials and those who know the work he has done, to allow his name to be suggested as a candidate. Colonel Johnson has been in the military department of the state for 36 years, some 25 of which he has been commissioned officer of the militia. When the 1st Vermont regiment was called into service in the war with Spain, Mr. Johnson was then the youngest captain in the regiment and was commanding Company G at Bradford. He went with his company through the war, bringing home with him every man who left the state, not one being discharged in any way and none dying while in service, a record which no other captain enjoyed. After the war was over he continued in the military department, earning promotions through the three grades as major, lieutenant colonel and colonel of the regiment, which office he held until his interests in Bradford would not permit him to give the time to it and then he relinquished the office, but only for a short time, for when the Vermont regiment was again called into service in 1917 he was named by Gov. H. F. Graham as the colonel of the Vermont Volunteer militia, which rank he now holds, and he has brought the standard of the regiment nearly to that of the efficiency of the 1st Vermont regiment.

The northbound morning local passenger train was about 50 minutes late in arriving here this morning owing to a little engine trouble and later due to a freight delay between Roxbury and Northfield. A drawbar was pulled on the freight train, which caused the delay of the passenger train. The northbound morning train, which arrived here Sunday morning, was about three hours late owing to the connections south of White River Junction.

J. W. Atwood of Randolph was in the city to-day.

W. E. Marshall of Waitsfield was a local visitor to-day.

The infant daughter of Mrs. Mary More died early Sunday morning. The funeral occurred during this afternoon, with burial in the Catholic cemetery.

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All Wool Tailored Suits in Wool Poplin, Wool Serge, Mixtures, etc. Colors are Navy, Black, Brown, Gray. All at one-third less than the regular prices.

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All Dress Skirts in this sale at 20 per cent discount.

#### SWEATERS

Sweaters at .....20 per cent discount

Furs at 25 per cent discount

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#### IN ELECTION TURMOIL.

Berlin Is Placarded With Instructions to the People.

Berlin, Sunday, Jan. 19 (by the Associated Press).—The streets of Berlin to-day were virtually buried under a deluge of election dodgers, handbills and leaflets, while the fronts of houses and windows were plastered with posters hung up by campaign workers during the morning, frequently without the knowledge of house proprietors.

The spectacle was one wholly new to Berlin, where the billboard privileges are strictly confined to the familiar columns on the street corners, while the distribution of handbills ordinarily is severely restricted by police regulations. The majority Socialists alone are reported to have distributed 20,000,000 dodgers, in addition to wallpapering the city with myriads of posters.

The entire apparatus of the government was set in motion for the majority Socialist campaign, which was easily the most effective of any carried on for to-day's historic election of members of the National Assembly. In addition to having the strategic advantage of governmental control, the Scheidemann party was more adept at campaigning than the bourgeois factions, to whom the game under present conditions was somewhat new. The Independent Socialists confined their attempts at vote-getting to public meetings and were not represented in the spread of the vast quantities of printers' ink. The German Democratic party, however, was liberally represented among the handbills and posters, and carried on an active house-to-house canvass. The Conservatives, Clericals and National Liberals proved themselves comparative novices in campaigning methods, relying chiefly on the party newspaper organs.

It is estimated that seven divisions of troops were placed at the disposal of the government to protect the polling places. A machine gun squad was in position within a hundred feet of each voting place, while strong military police patrols also were on guard. The voters everywhere turned out early, and the rush to the polls resulted in the formation of long lines of men and women awaiting their turn to vote.

#### BIG LABOR DISTURBANCE.

Is Expected in Cuba as Result of Action Last Night.

Havana, Jan. 20.—Labor delegates said to represent every union in this city decided at a meeting last night to support the demands made by the employees of the United Havana and Western railways, whose strike, begun three days ago, is apparently no nearer settlement. General wage increases ranging between 15 and 20 per cent are asked by the strikers, according to a letter sent to the secretary of agriculture, who is acting as mediator.

#### TO SUPERVISE MINING.

German Government Is Going to Take Charge.

Amsterdam, Jan. 20.—The German government has issued a decree that until questions are legally settled as to the influence to be exercised by the government over the mining industry, and the participation of the community in the profits is adjusted, imperial commissioners will be appointed for some mining districts to supervise production and prices, according to a Berlin dispatch received here.

#### SERBIAN PREMIER OUT.

Stoyan Protitch Has Been Asked to Form New Cabinet.

Saloniki, Friday, Jan. 17 (by the Associated Press).—Nikola P. Pachitch, the Serbian premier, has resigned. Prince Regent Alexander, has asked Stoyan Protitch, the finance minister in the Pachitch cabinet, to form a new cabinet for the Serb-Croat-Slovene kingdom.

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED TO BUY—Fifty bushels small potatoes; also fowls and veal; G. A. J., 27 Berlin street, tel. 13-M. 26166

WE HAVE FOR SALE a cheap bay work horse, weighs about 1,150 lbs., also a registered Guernsey bull calf about 8 months old; would exchange for black and white cows, young stock or pigs, any age; J. A. Cumming, R. D. 2, Barre, Vt., tel. 488-M. 26124

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LOST—Dark brown bound dog, collar with name, "A. Colombo"; finder kindly notify A. Pungilli, 47 Granite street, tel. 988-R. 26125

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